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FUNCTION

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SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.97(D)

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement, filed after issuance of a final rejection, be considered pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(d). Please charge deposit account No. 12-1095 in the amount of \$180.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). The present submission is accompanied by a certification as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e). In the event that any additional fee is due in connection with the present petition, the same should be